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IN THE STAES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.

09/840,071

Confirmation No. 3446

**Applicant** 

H. ARITA et al

Filed

April 24, 2001

Title

**ENERGY AND POWER INTERCHANGE SYSTEM** 

AND ITS METHOD

TC/AU

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Examiner

T.D. Nguyen

Docket No. :

H-769-03

Customer No.:

24956

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop RCE P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a two-month Extension of Time, to and including February 9, 2005, be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated September 9, 2004 in the above-identified application.

Our Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$450.00 is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

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Respectfully submitted,

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MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C.

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Date: February 9, 2005